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Sir.

In accordance with 37 C.F. R. § 1.136(a), Applicants for the above-identified application respectfully Petition the Commissioner for a one (1) month extension of time, extending the period for response to December 16, 2004, from the Office Action dated August 16, 2004. The petition filing fee of \$120.00 and an Amendment and Response to Office Action are attached.

If it should be determined that a longer extension of time is required to prevent this application from being abandoned, please charge any additional fues to Deposit Account No. 02-2666. A copy of the Fee Transmittal Is enclosed for deposit account charging purposes.

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